Halady Irrigation Project.

Q.—327. **Sri V. SRINIVASA SETTY** (Coondapoor).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the stage at which the Major Irrigation Scheme of Halady, Coodlapoor Taluk, South Kanara District, stands ;

(*b*) whether the preliminary survey work of the said scheme has been completed ;

(*c*) the amount spent so far for the purpose ;

(*d*) whether this project has been included in the Second Five-Year Plan ;

(*e*) if not, why ;

(*f*) whether any provision has been made for the continuance of the work in the project ;

(*g*) if so, amount that has been set apart for that purpose ;

(*h*) weather they have any intention of including this project in the Second Five-Year Plan and executing the same ?

A.—**Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH** (Minister for Public Works).—

(*a*) The Project is under scrutiny by the Department.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Rs. 17,290.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) The Project is not yet finalised.

(*f*) No.

(*g*) Does not arise in view of reply to (*f*) above.

(*h*) It is too late to include this Project in the Second Five-Year Plan. It will be considered for inclusion in the Third Five-Year Plan.

Sri V. SRINIVASA SETTY.—When was the preliminary survey closed ?

***Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.**—In December 1955.

Sri V. SRINIVASA SETTY.—When did the scrutiny of the project begin and when is it likely to close ?

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—Scrutiny and all that is over. It was included in the draft Second Five-Year Plan but was subsequently deleted by the Government of Madras. Now the technical questions like selection of sites and other details will have to be decided. The estimate also requires some modifications to suit the present conditions. All this will take time. Therefore it can be included in the Third Five-Year-Plan.

Sri V. SRINIVASA SETTY.—Can I take that the Government is favourably impressed with the Scheme ?

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—Government have no prejudice against any scheme. Whatever scheme that is feasible, will be taken up.

Sri V. SRINIVASA SETTY.—Have the Government finally disposed of this question ?

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—They have not finally disposed of this question. It is still under examination. The site has to be examined and various technical details will have to be worked out. Therefore it ean be taken up in the Third Five-Year-Plan.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—Without including the project in the Second Five-Year-Plan, will it not be possible to take up the scheme ?

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—If funds permit we can do so. But schemes which cost Rs. 10 lakhs and more will have to be submitted to the Government of India for being taken up. If we have sufficient money we can take it up.

Proposal to start Hydro-Electric Works at Mekedatu.

Q.—302. **Sri S. KARIAPPA** (Virupakshipura).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether there was a proposal to take up Hydro-electric Works at Mekedatu ;

(*b*) whether the final survey had been completed

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(*c*) whether the negotiations with the Government of Madras have reached a satisfactory conclusion;

(*d*) how the estimated yield of power compares with the other projects of the same nature either under progress or under contemplation in the State;

(*e*) the estimated cost of each of these schemes?

A.—Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Minister for Public Works).—

(*a*) Yes.
(*b*) Yes.
(*c*) No.

(*d*) The yield of power from this Project is low, being 40,500 K.W. in the ultimate stage compared with other schemes.

(*e*)—

Name of Project	Cost in lakhs of Rupees up to H.T. Bus.	Installed capacity in K.W.	Cost per K.W.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1 Bhadra Hydro-electric Project (ultimate development).	228·765	40,400	566*
2 Tungabhadra Hydro-Electric Scheme Left Bank, Munirabad, First Stage.	166·18	18,000	923*
3 Sharavathi Valley Project, First Stage.	1872·00	142,000	1,318*
4 Mekedatu, First Stage ...	440·00	22,000	2,000

*Under installation.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಕರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ಪ್ರಾಜೆಕ್ಟಿನ ಸರ್ವೆ ಆಖೈರಾದದ್ದು ಯಾವಾಗ?

*Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—I want notice, Sir. No dates are available with me now.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಕರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ನಮ್ಮ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೂ ಮತ್ತು ಮದ್ರಾಸ್ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೂ ಈ ಪ್ರಾಜೆಕ್ಟ್ ಸಂಬಂಧವಾಗಿ ಸಂಧಾನಗಳು ಎಷ್ಟು ವರ್ಷಗಳಿಂದ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿವೆ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ವೀರಣ್ಣಗೌಡ.—ಬಹಳ ವರ್ಷಗಳಿಂದಲೂ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿವೆ. ಆಖೈರಾಗಿ ಸಂಧಾನ ನಡೆಸಿದ್ದು 1952ರಲ್ಲಿ. ಅಲ್ಲಿಂದೀಚೆಗೆ ಏನೂ ನಡೆದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಕರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಅವರಿಗೂ ನಿಮಗೂ ಯಾವ ವಿಚಾರಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಭಿನ್ನಾಭಿಪ್ರಾಯ ಬಂದಿದೆ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ವೀರಣ್ಣಗೌಡ.—ತಾವು ಆ ವಿವರಗಳೆಲ್ಲಾ ಬೇಕೆಂಬುದಾಗಿ ಒಂದು ಪ್ರತ್ಯೇಕ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದರೆ ಅವುಗಳನ್ನು ತಮಗೆ ಒದಗಿಸಲಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಕರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಈ ಹಿಂದೆ ಈ ಪ್ರಾಜೆಕ್ಟನ್ನು ದ್ವಿತೀಯ ಪಂಚವಾರ್ಷಿಕಯೋಜನೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅಳವಡಿಸಲು ಪ್ರಯತ್ನಗಳು ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿರಲಿಲ್ಲವೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ವೀರಣ್ಣಗೌಡ.—ಹೌದು. ಆದರೆ ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆ ಖರ್ಚು ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಯಿತೆಂದು ಇದನ್ನು ಕೈ ಬಿಡಲಾಯಿತು.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—Is there any necessity to negotiate with the Madras Government in view of the fact that all the three sites of Mekadatu belong to Mysore State?

Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH.—That question has to be examined by the Law Department.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಕರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಇದನ್ನು ತಾವೀಗ ಯಾವ ಪ್ಲಾನಿನಲ್ಲೂ ಸೇರಿಸಿದಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ತಾವಿದನ್ನು ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣವಾಗಿ ಕೈಬಿಟ್ಟಹಾಗೆತಾನೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ವೀರಣ್ಣಗೌಡ.—ಇಲ್ಲ. ಇಂಥ ದೊಡ್ಡ ದೊಡ್ಡ ಯೋಜನೆಗಳನ್ನು ನಾವು ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರ ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆಪಡೆಯದೆ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲ. ಅವರಿಂದ ನಮಗೆ ಈ ಕಾರ್ಯಗಳಿಗೆಲ್ಲ ಧನ ಸಹಾಯ ಬರಬೇಕಾಗಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಅವರ ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆಯಿಲ್ಲದೆ ನಾವು ಈ ಕಾರ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು ನಡೆಸಲು ಆಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಅವರ ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ ಪಡೆದು ಇದನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗುವುದು. ಮೊದಲೇನೋ ಇದನ್ನ ಕೈಬಿಟ್ಟೇಬಿಡಬೇಕೆಂದಿತ್ತು; ಆದರೆ ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆ ಇದನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂಬ ಆಲೋಚನೆಯಿದೆ. ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ನಿಧಾನವಾಗಿ ಆಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಕರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಫಸ್ಟ್‌ಸ್ಟೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಖರ್ಚಿದ್ದರೂ ಸೆಕೆಂಡ್ ಸ್ಟೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಬಹಳ ಕಡಮೆ ಖರ್ಚಿದೆ ಎಂಬುದು ತಮಗೆ ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆಯೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಕೆ. ವೀರಣ್ಣಗೌಡ.—ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಫಸ್ಟ್ ಸ್ಟೇಜ್ ಪ್ರಬಲವಾದದ್ದು ಸೆಕೆಂಡ್ ಸ್ಟೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಖರ್ಚು ಬಹಳ ಕಡಮೆಯಿದೆ.

Conversion of Higher Elementary Schools into Middle Schools in Kollegal Taluk.

Q.—280. Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA (Palaiyam).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether representations have been made to convert the existing Higher Elementary Schools in Kollegal Taluk into Middle Schools ;

(*b*) the steps proposed to be taken in the matter ?

A.—Sri V. VENKATAPPA (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (*a*) above.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—Will the Government consider the desirability of converting Elementary Schools into Middle Schools ?

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ.—ಆ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲೆಲ್ಲಾ ಈಗ ಮಿಡಲ್‌ಸ್ಕೂಲು ಎಗ್ಸಾಮಿನೇಷನ್ ಎಂಬುದೊಂದಿದೆ. ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಆ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆಯಿಲ್ಲ. ಇದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಈ ಒಂದು ನಮಿತಿಯನ್ನು ನೇಮಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅವರು ಈ ವಿಚಾರಗಳನ್ನೆಲ್ಲಾ ವಿಮರ್ಶೆಮಾಡಿ ಒಂದು ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಅವರ ತೀರ್ಮಾನ ನೋಡಿಕೊಂಡು ಅನಂತರ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಆಜ್ಞೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ.

Selection of Members to the Regiona Transport Committee.

Q.—381. Sri G. N. PUTTANNA (Tumkur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the names of the non-official members on the Regional Transport Committee in each district of old Mysore State ;

(*b*) how long they served in the Committee ;

(*c*) the names of the non-official members of the newly formed Regional Transport Committee ;

(*d*) the number of them belonging to the Congress Party and the number of non-Congressmen therein ;

(*e*) if no non-Congress members are included the reasons therefor ?

A.—Sri C. M. POONACHA (Minister for Home Affairs and Industry).—

(*a*) *Vide* statement 'A' appended.

(*b*) *Vide* statement 'B' appended.

(*c*) *Vide* statement 'C' appended.

(*d*) Government have no information.

(*e*) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (*d*) above.

STATEMENT A.

Non-Official Members.

1 *Bangalore.*—

(1) Sri Y. M. Gaviyappa
(2) Sri Kulle Gowda *alias* Linge Gowda
(3) Sri R. Muniswamiah, B.A., Member, Legislative Assembly.

2 *Kolar.*—

(1) Sri M. C. Perumal
(2) Sri Chikkasiddappa
(3) Sri Suryanarayana Joshi

3 *Tumkur.*—

(1) Sri N. Srinivas, B.Sc.
(2) Sri J. N. Puttanna
(3) Sri D. R. Muddappa